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SUBJECT: SECRETARY CLEMENTS CALL ON PRIME MINISTER

CINCPAC PASS TO SECRETARY CLEMENTS FROM AMBASSADOR UNGER

1. PRIME MINISTER THANOM KITTIKACHORN HAS CONFIRMED THAT HE WOULD BE VERY PLEASED TO SEE YOU AT 1500 LOCAL TIME ON THE AFTERNOON OF YOUR ARRIVAL IN BANGKOK, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14. WE ARE TOLD THAT THE OTHER THAI PRESENT WILL INCLUDE ACM DAWEE, CHIEF OF STAFF, SUPREME COMMAND AND MG CHARTCHAI, DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER.

2. THIS EARLY AFTERNOON TIMING WILL LIMIT OUR OPPORTUNITY FOR DISCUSSION IN ADVANCE OF YOUR MEETING, SINCE MIDDAY TRAVEL THROUGH BANGKOK TRAFFIC IS TIME CONSUMING. HOWEVER, I WILL PLAN TO HAVE GENERAL MELLEN AND MY DEPUTY AT THE RESIDENCE BEFORE WE PROCEED TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE FOR A BRIEF PRIVATE CHAT WITH YOU AND THE TWO OR THREE MEMBERS OF YOUR PARTY WHO YOU WOULD WISH TO TAKE PART IN THE TALK WITH THE PRIME MINISTER.

3. DEPENDING ON YOUR WISHES, WE CAN RETURN TO THE EMBASSY FROM GOVERNMENT HOUSE FOR FURTHER INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS ABOUT US RELATIONS WITH THAILAND WITH SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE MISSION AND,
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IF YOU DESIRE MORE DETAILED BRIEFINGS ON THE THAI POLITICAL SITUA-

TION, THE INSURGENCY IN THAILAND, THE THAI MILITARY ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM AND THE REDUCTION OF US FORCES BASED HERE.
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